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(54) **ORGANIC ELECTROLUMINESCENT ELEMENT**

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide an organic electroluminescent element capable of continuously and stably emitting light for hours with a high luminance.

SOLUTION: This organic electroluminescent element 1 comprises an anode 6, a positive hole transport layer 5, a luminescent layer 4, an electron transport layer 3 and a cathode 2. The electron transport layer 3 contains an n-type inorganic compound semiconductor. Because an electron injection efficiency from the cathode 2 to the luminescent layer 4 can be improved, the organic electroluminescent element 1 has a high luminance and allows improvement of a long-time driving characteristic in time of light emission with a high luminance.

